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TRANSSHIPMENT AND STORAGE AREA PHONG NHA, NORTH VIETNAM 1735N 10617E

1. SIGNIFICANCE:

THIS BOARD DEPICTS A LARGE TRANSSHIPMENT AND STORAGE AREA AT THE HEAD OF ROUTE 137.

2. LOCATION:

12 NM WSW OF QUANG KHE ON THE SOUTH BANK OF SONG TROC AT UTM XE372458.

3. MISSION READOUT:

MISSION 007F, 11 JANUARY 1969, REVEALS A LARGE TRANSSHIPMENT AND STORAGE AREA AT THE HEAD OF ROUTE 137. IT CONSISTS OF 16 LARGE STACKS OF UNIDENTIFIED SUPPLIES COVERED TO APPEAR AS BUILDINGS, 18 STORAGE PLATFORMS WITH UNIDENTIFIED SUPPLIES, 30 STORAGE PLATFORMS UNDER CONSTRUCTION, NINE STACKS OF UNIDENTIFIED SUPPLIES ON THE GROUND, ONE LARGE STORAGE BUILDING, AND 33 SMALL BUILDINGS WHICH ARE POSSIBLY QUARTERS FOR PERSONNEL. FOURTEEN CARGO TRUCKS ARE LOCATED IN THE IMMEDIATE AREA.

THREE CAVE STORAGE SITES ARE ALSO LOCATED IN THE IMMEDIATE AREA. ONE SITE LOCATED AT UTM XE370452 INCLUDES TWO CAVE ENTRANCES. A SECOND SITE LOCATED AT UTM XE383448 POSSESSES FOUR CAVE ENTRANCES. TWO BULLDOZERS AND AN AIR COMPRESSOR ARE PARKED IN THE VICINITY. THE THIRD CAVE SITE LOCATED AT UTM XE383448 INCLUDES FOUR CAVE ENTRANCES AND FOUR STORAGE BUILDINGS.

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EIGHT CARGO TRUCKS ARE PARKED IN THE IMMEDIATE VICINITY AND THIRTEEN ADDITIONAL CARGO TRUCKS ARE OBSERVED ON ROUTE 137.

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MAP REFERENCE: AMS SERIES L7014, SHEET 6244 II, 1ST EDITION

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